

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s):

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Serial No.:

10/680,002

For:

OPTICAL NOTCH FILTER APPARATUS AND METHOD

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Examiner:

Ricky D. Shafer

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Customer No.:

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Attorney Docket No.: 30011470 US-02

Mail Stop Amendment COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

We are enclosing a Response to Restriction Requirement in response to the communication dated July 26, 2005 in the above-identified application.

| Petition for extension of time pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.136 and 1.137 is here | by |
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| made if, and to the extent, required. The fee for this extension of time is calculated to | , |
| be \$ to extend the time for filing this response until | |

The fee for any change in number of claims has been calculated as shown below.

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| | Claims Remaining After Amendment | , | Nu Prev | hest mber lously aid | Present Extra | Rate | |
| Total Claims | 16 | Minus | 20 | | 0 | x \$50.00 | \$ |
| Independent Claims | 3 | Minus | 3 | | 0 | x \$200.00 | \$ |
| MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM FEE | | | | | | | x \$360.00 = \$ |
| TOTAL FEE FOR CLAIM CHANGES | | | | | | | \$0.00 |
| 1/2 FILING FEE FOR SMALL ENTITY | | | |] | | | \$N/A |

| The total fee for this amendment, including claim changes and any extension of time is calculated to be $$ \underline{0.00} $. |
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| A check in the amount of \$ is attached. |
| X The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. §§1.16 and 1.17 which may be required with this communication or during the entire pendency of the application, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 01-0467. A duplicate copy of this Form is enclosed. |
| August 23, 2005 Date Paul D. Greeley, Esq. Attorney for Applicant(s) Registration No. 31,019 Ohlandt, Greeley, Ruggiero & Perle, L.L.P. One Landmark Square, 10 th Floor Stamford, CT 06901-2682 Telephone: (203) 327-4500 Telefax: (203) 327-6401 |
| I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THIS CORRESPONDENCE IS BEING DEPOSITED WITH THE U.S. POSTAL SERVICE AS FIRST CLASS MAIL IN AN ENVELOPE ADDRESSED TO: MAIL STOP AMENDMENT, COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS, P.O. BOX 1450, ALEXANDRIA, VA 22313-1450, ON August 23, 2005 |
| Joanne A. Romaniello NAME Joanne A. Romaniello SIGNATURE 8/23/05 DATE |



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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to a restriction requirement in an Office Action dated 26 JUL 2005, Applicant elects the invention of Group I, that is, claims 2-5 and 7. Applicant respectfully submits that this election is fully responsive to the restriction requirement as set forth in the Action.

Date

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Respectfully submitted,

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